

District Grant Report

Rotary Club: 840

Project Title: Literacy for Preschool, Elementary and Teacher Literacy Projects

Progress Report Final Report

1. Briefly describe the project. What was done, when and where did project activities take place, and who were the beneficiaries?

The goal was to contribute to the literacy of reschool and elementary children and to various creative literacy projects taught by teachers.

2. How many Rotarians participated in the project?

We had at least 20 individuals actively participating Rotarians involved in the project.

3. What did they do? Please give at least two examples.

The Rotarians involved participated in determining what the books would be, ordering and distributing them. On distribution day, many Rotarians read the books to the children, and made the distribution a celebration of reading.

4. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project?

Hundreds of students and their families. Schools: Harte, King, Fremont, Cleveland, Garfield, Kettering and Riley.

5. What are the expected long-term community impacts of the project?

The long- term impact will encourage children to read earlier, or simply to read. This allows the person as an adult to recognize opportunities for employment later in their lives, and to be affective at their work. This will improve the health, safety and welfare of the population in general. It will decrease homelessness, and crime as well. The ability to read increases earning potential, therefore creating opportunity for people and their families. As a result of the ability to read, they and their families will have access to more opportunities. Through reading, one learns about conflict resolution to create peace, what causes disease, and creates health and prosperity.

6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?

No other organization was involved in this grant.

Financial Report – Be sure that Income equals Expenditures!

7. Income	Amount
1. District Grant funds approved by the District	7,000.00
2. Club contribution	7,000.00
3. Other funding (from Long Beach Rotary club)	7,499.34
Total Project Income	\$21,499.34

8. Expenditures - please be specific and add lines as needed - receipts must be attached

1. Scholastic Book Order (District Portion) Check #5097, dated 1/13/2018	\$7,499.34
2. "Best of " program at Harte, King and Fremont Elementary Schools	\$6,000.00
3. eBook program: Cleveland, Garfield, Kettering and Riley Elementary schools	\$8,000.00
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Total Project Expenditures	\$21,499.34

9. By signing this report, I confirm that to the best of my knowledge these District Grant funds were spent only for eligible items in accordance with Trustee-approved guidelines, and that all of the information contained herein is true and accurate. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures have been provided to the district. I also understand that all photographs submitted in connection with this report will become the property of RI and will not be returned. I warrant that I own all rights in the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or at any time in the future, throughout the world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or later developed. This includes the right to modify the photograph(s) as necessary in RI's sole discretion. This also includes, without limitation, use on or in the web sites, magazines, brochures, pamphlets, exhibitions and any other promotional materials of RI and TRF.

Certifying Signature

Date: 05/14/2018



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Willetta McCulloh, International Service Director